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Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, applicants are submitting herewith a copy of a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application and copies of the documents listed in the attached form equivalent to Form PTO-1449 for the Examiner's consideration.

This information disclosure statement is being submitted before the mailing date of a first office action on the merits.

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JP-A-04-302561 discloses that data is converted again into a format to transmit suitable for attribute (voice terminal, text terminal or image communication terminal) of a communication terminal such as telephone which is another communication party. Data from text terminal is stored and transmitted in its original formal [paragraph 0039]. However, JP-A-04-302561 does not disclose to control to transmit voice signal or character signal "in accordance with state of communication line".

It is respectfully requested that this information disclosure statement be considered by the Examiner.

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